

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

TERRY D. ARMSTRONG-EL,

Plaintiff,

-against-

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; UNITED
STATES SUPREME COURT; UNITED
STATES CONGRESS,

Defendants.

21-CV-7125 (LTS)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN, Chief United States District Judge:

By order dated August 23, 2021, the Court directed Plaintiff, within thirty days, to either pay the \$402.00 in fees that are required to file a civil action in this Court or submit a completed request to proceed *in forma pauperis* (IFP) and, if incarcerated, a prisoner authorization. That order specified that failure to comply would result in dismissal of the complaint. Plaintiff has not paid the filing fees or filed an IFP application and prisoner authorization. Accordingly, the complaint is dismissed without prejudice. *See* 28 U.S.C. §§ 1914, 1915.

The Court certifies under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) that any appeal from this order would not be taken in good faith, and therefore IFP status is denied for the purpose of an appeal. *Cf. Coppedge v. United States*, 369 U.S. 438, 444–45 (1962) (holding that an appellant demonstrates good faith when he seeks review of a nonfrivolous issue).

The Clerk of Court is directed to mail a copy of this order to Plaintiff and note service on the docket.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 14, 2021
New York, New York

/s/ Laura Taylor Swain

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN
Chief United States District Judge